

**MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
UTILITY DIVISION
AGENDA NO. 08-01-08**

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For Work Week Commencing: January 7, 2008
Commission Meeting: January 8, 2008, 9:00 a.m.

General Introduction This agenda is the Commission's Utility Division agenda for the work week designated. In the latter part of each week (generally, Thursday by 2:00 p.m.) prior to the work week to which an agenda pertains, the agenda is posted on the public information bulletin board at the Commission offices, deposited in the mail directed to all persons who have properly requested notice by mail, emailed to all persons who have properly requested notice by email, and posted to the Public Service Commission's worldwide web site located at <http://www.psc.mt.gov>.

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Inquiries General inquiries concerning this Utility Division agenda and subscribing to notice by mail may be made to Kate Whitney at (406) 444-3056. She may refer inquiries to another person within the agency.

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9:00 a.m. Weekly Scheduling (Commission Conference Room – No Web Broadcast)

9:30 a.m. Business (Bollinger Room)

Public Comments

Action Items All items identified below are for action at the Commission business meeting.

1. Verizon Business Service N2007.12.150 (Scott)

On December 19, 2007, Verizon filed Transmittal No. 07-08, revisions to its Montana Price List Tariff. In this filing Verizon is requesting to Grandfather Verizon Business Service I, Verizon Business Service II, Verizon Business Service II Flex T1 plus Plan, and, Verizon Business Service I and Verizon

Business Service II under US Private Line Service. Probable Motion:
Approve Verizon's Transmittal No. 07-08 in Docket N2007.12.150.

2. Verizon Business Service N2007.12.151 (Scott)

On December 19, 2007, Verizon filed Transmittal No. 07-09, revisions to its Montana Tariff No. 2. In this filing Verizon is requesting to Grandfather Verizon Business Service I, Verizon Business Service II, Verizon Business Service II Flex T1 plus Plan, and, Verizon Business Service I and Verizon Business Service II under US Private Line Service. . Probable Motion:
Approve Verizon's Transmittal No. 07-09 in Docket N2007.12.151.

Work Sessions All items identified below are for Commission discussion or action on the day designated.

1. D2007.10.122 – Sprint Communications Company, LP and Citizens Telecommunications of Montana – Interconnection Agreement – Discuss and act on the agreement. (01/08/08)
2. Regional Oversight Committee's 2005 Qwest Performance Assurance Plan audit report – Discuss and act on draft notice. (01/08/08)
3. FCC 96-45 – Triangle Communication System, Inc. – Tri-Com's application filed with the FCC to redefine certain rural telephone company service areas in the state of Montana – Discussion and approval of draft comments to be filed with the FCC. (01/08/08)
4. FCC WT Docket No. 06-231 – Ronan Telephone Co. – Ronan's request to FCC for 2 additional years to meet Tribal Lands Bidding Credit construction requirement – Decide whether to file comments in support of Ronan's request to the FCC for additional time to meet the construction requirement. (01/08/08)
5. D2007.12.152 – Two Dot Wind – Petition to Two Dot Wind, LLC to Set Terms and Conditions for Existing Qualifying Small Power Production Facility Pursuant to MCA § 69-3-603 – Discuss procedure and schedule, provide direction to staff, consider delegating authority to staff to resolve and rule on discovery disputes, if any. (01/08/08)

6. Organization of MISO States (OMS) Comments to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) – Discuss Draft OMS comments. (01/08/08)

Other Meetings

Weekly Scheduling, Review of Monthly Calendars, and Docket Status Updates (if requested by a Commissioner).

Notice Items All items identified below are noticed for public participation purposes. Unless otherwise stated in the text of the notice, the items will be action items on the next following agenda or a subsequent agenda and participation may be had by submitting written comments to the Public Service Commission, 1701 Prospect Avenue, P.O. Box 202601, Helena, Montana, 59620-2601, within 5 calendar days following publication of this agenda. Public comments on a noticed matter may also be submitted within the required time through the PSC's web-based comment form at <http://psc.mt.gov/Consumers/comments>. Comments should reference the docket number of the matter.

Protective Orders – Notice Items The Commission has received the following requests for protective order pursuant to ARM 38.2.5007. The Commission will rule on the requests no earlier than 10 days after the publication date of this agenda. Comments on the requests may be submitted at any time prior to ruling. Any person wanting a copy of a protective order request should contact the Commission at (406) 444-6199.

Protective Orders – Information Items The Commission has issued the following protective orders. These orders may be challenged pursuant to ARM 38.2.5008. Copies of these orders may be obtained by calling the Commission at (406) 444-6199.

Information Items All items identified below are for information only.

New Filings Received in Past Week